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SENATOR MARVEL: Well you've asked for this all week. It's my turn to be a little testy. Go ahead.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Now, may I ask my question?

PRESIDENT: Well, let's get on with it.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Well, that's what I'm trying to do, but I didn't want to interrupt Senator Marvel. Would you find it acceptable to have the 1202 Commission the two year program, and make the recommendations you've suggested in here?

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes, sir.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Would that be an agreeable amendment to you if I do it that way?

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes, sir.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Mr. Clerk, I would like to amend my second amendment if I might, but we could go ahead with the first part of it and Senator Barnett could speak to it and meanwhile I would work out with Senator Marvel in a cooperative way the second part of that amendment. Is that O.K. with you?

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Vince, do I understand that it's Frank's amendment to strike 11250 on page 21, is this one of them?

CLERK: On page 21 it's lines 8 through 27.

SENATOR BARNETT: I would like to point out on the one thing that he did talk about on the fire service part of it. The fire service program has about three or four different bills this session that have affected it. At the present time it is in a state of confusion along with the ENTA program. You adopted LB 418 over the amendment that I had to take it and keep it one department. Now you've got it in the health department, and the technical school program area, and now you're putting it under the board of trustees in the Nebraska State Colleges. I would hope that at least that part, Senator Marvel, could come out of the bill so we could go ahead. I do have an amendment ready for LB 344 in the event that that is passed. Now, we're running into objection on that part from John Sullivan. Director Sullivan feels that we can leave it in the area of the health department for part of the training and the other part of the training can go under the department of education. I would like to see you put them both under the same department so that we've got one central place for coordination. I would hope that the body would at least see fit to change this part. If Frank thinks that the whole area should come out, I think we ought to go along with him. Thirteen through 15 completely confuses this area. Senator Lewis, are you going to try to...Can I ask Senator Lewis a question Mr. President?

PRESIDENT: Yes.